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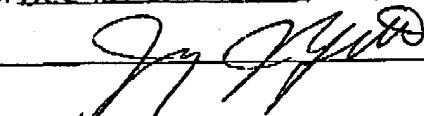
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 Filed : April 6, 2000
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 TC/A.U. : 1746
 Examiner : Gentle E. Winter
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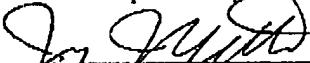
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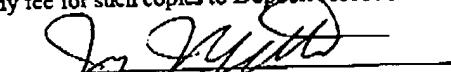
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